

XM radio has the same rights and gaurantees under the constitution that the BIG radio companies sponsored by the NAB. To limit XM radios FIRST AMENDMENT rights is not only illegal and immoral, it is unconstitutional. One of the reasons that I enjoy my XM service so much is that I am not forced to listen to "canned" commercials. Any serious music/news radio fan knows without a doubt that normal AM/FM radio feeds are 80% commercials and 20% news/radio. Do not take away XM radio's ability to inform me of my local traffic and weather forecast. locally oriented programming ia as essential for XM radio as it is for AM/FM radio. If XM loses it's ability to report locally oriented programming, so should the NAB stations.

Thank you,

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